

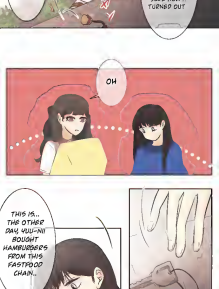


I REMEMBERED
THAT YOU STARED
STRAIGHT AT ME.

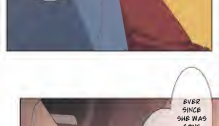
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AND YOU CALL YOURSELF A MAN?

...DON'T SPOUT STUFF WHEN YOU DON'T EVEN KNOW ANYTHING, SISCON.

I DON'T WANNA KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT THE LOVE LIFE OF A YOUNG MAN GOING THROUGH PUBERTY

BUT I'M COMPLETELY DISAPPOINTED IN YOU.

YOU PUSHED HER AROUND JUST FOR THE SAKE OF PUSHING HER AROUND YOU LEFT HER CONFUSED AND ALONE. YOU'RE PUTTING HER ON THE SPOT.

IS THIS YOUR WAY OF DOING THINGS?



YOU WERE RIGHT, NIT-CHAN...

MY OWN STUBBORNNESS MADE THIS COMPLICATED...

...HE MIGHT NOT SPARE EVEN A GLANCE AT ME ANYMORE.

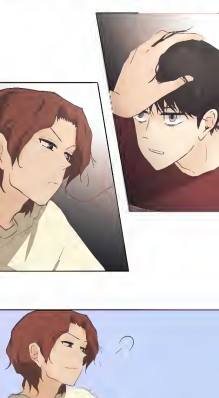
HERE I WAS EXPECTING YOU'RE THE ONE WHO THINKS ABOUT TSURASA, THE MOST.



I THOUGHT YOU'D SLOWLY BUT DIRECTLY FACE THIS.

BUT RIGHT NOW! IF I TELL HER NOW THAT I DON'T SEE HER AS A FRIEND...!

IF I CONFESS THAT TO HER, THEN THE ONE WHO WILL BE HURT THE MOST IS YOUR SIS...!!



IF YOU WANT TO PUT HER MIND AT EASE THAT MUCH, THEN DO A BETTER JOB AT PRETENDING TO BE HER FRIEND.



THAT ENDS MY SER-MON FILLED WITH LOVE FOR MY CUTE YOUNGER SISTER AS AN OLDER BROTHER.

OKAY!

!?



IT'S PAINFUL FOR YOU, TOO, I'M SURE.

SO I SAID WHATEVER I WANTED TO SAY

NEITHER OF YOU WON'T TELL ME ANYTHING



I CAN AT LEAST LISTEN TO YOU, SO COME TO ME ANYTIME ONCE YOU FINALLY FEEL LIKE TELLING ME

OF COURSE, I WANT TO MAKE MY MOST BELOVED YOUNGER SISTER HAPPY.

BUT I ALSO WANT MY YOUNGER BROTHER TO BECOME HAPPY.

SO

DO YOUR BEST.



TO BE CONTINUED